GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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CRIME IN THE COUNTRY
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have taken note of increase in Crime rate in the country;

(b) if so, whether the Government contemplate to conduct indepth study regarding increase of crimes and increasing nexus amongst the criminals, bureaucrats, politicians and police for such rise in crimes;

(c) if so, the details in this regard; and

(d) the action taken/ proposed to be taken to eliminate this nexus?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI)

(a): As per data compiled by National Crime Records Bureau, the rate of cognizable crimes per lakh population has shown a declining trend from 183.2 in 1998 to 178.9 in 1999 and 176.7 in 2000.

(b): No Sir.

(c)&(d): Does not arise.